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I once was young like you, my son-my curling locks of

And bright blue eyes and fresh young face were talked of

in the town. And men and women flattered me and loaded me with

days

But there was one among them all, the kindest and the Who waked me mornings with a kiss and sang me nights

And often would I wake to find her kneeling by my Her clasped hands mingled with the locks that graced

my youthful head. When death came in and we were left with no one t She daily toiled for both, and Oh, how lovingly she

To make our home so pleasant that the vices of the Would ne'er allure her darling son and drag his man-

hood down. Alas! how could I disregard that mother's prayers and

How could I spurn her gentle words so early in my years? I broke her heart-but when I stood beside her dying

I, choked with grief, and kneeling, felt her hand upon my head. "Turn back, my son," she faintly said, " regain the nar-

You know we journeyed side by side for many a happy And then you left me, darling-Oh, retrace your steps

and trend The better way"-she spoke no more-my friends was dead. My boy, cling close to mother, as you value future

The day is not far distant when her care for you will And when, if you have caused her grief, each relic you

Of her who would have died for you, will only give you Yes, tread the path that mother treads, and when she Keep straight ahead, a pure, stout heart low beating in

Though wealth should grace thee with her smile and even fame be thine, Be ever strong enough to say, "My mother's path is

## VARIETY.

Many a man's conscience is just as good as new at forty for the simple reason that it has never According to the New York Express, it is the boy on top of the molasses hogshead who sings:

" Oh for a thousand tongues." Governess: " Now, Jack, if I were to give twelve pears to Mande, ten to Edith, and three to you, what would it be ?" Jack (aged six):

as It wouldn't be fair." A young doctor spends his leisure hours in practicing on the cornet, and passers-by, think-

ing an amputation is going on inside, are delu-ded as to the number of the man's patients. "He made too free with it when he was here before !" was the way a mild-mannered Atlan-

ta, Georgia, man met the suggestion that Gen. Sherman should be given "the freedom of the Julius, was you ever in business? "Of course I was." "What business?" "A sugar plan-

ter." " When was that?" " De day I buried dat old sweetheart of mine." At a funeral service in Slawson last week

the minister, in his remarks, was dwelling upon the loss to the busband of the deceased, when the worthy spoke up: "Never mind me. Just throw your heft on the corpse."-[Danbury

Lady (stopped with her husband at a senside fishing village)—And is Mr. Smith at home? Girl-Yes m'm; he has been home, but has gone out again. Lady-Oh! Did he say where he was going? Girl-I don't know, m'm, but be said something about going to get shaved and bamboozied, m'm.

A 79-year-old maid, who was quite ill in Johnstown, told the doctor she had never been hugged by a man in her life, and asked for a kiss. The gallant doctor complied with the request of course, and she got well. When the doctor got home and told his story to his wife, he gotwell; he is balder than he was. This is a true

A party of Boston ladies who were spending the summer in a little town not far from the White Mountains, attended a fair which was held by the ladies of one of the churches. Wishing to appear properly interested, one of the visitors asked the manager what the proceeds were to be devoted to. "Well," was the hesitating reply, " we ain't just certain whether we'll buy a ice-cream freerer or a hearse."

Everybody will be pleased that an inventor is getting up a new patent chair for dentists. The invention has been exhibited in Wheeling, and the Leader thus describes it: " A concealed spring in it runs a tack up through the seat, and while the patient is howling, and his attention is diverted by the attack below, the tooth is yanked

"Mr. Holloway, the prince of English pill makers, has devoted \$1,250,000 to the erection of a college for the higher education of women, and proposes to endow it with \$500,000, exclusive of some land." If Holloway had been an honest editor or conscientious minister, in the place of a wholesale pill maker and tormenter of his race, he would not have been able to give a poor tramp ten cents to assist him to a plate of corned beef. - Bee.

A Louisville young woman writes to a modest and stupid youth : "Yes, when you ask me if I would marry you-oh! I ought not to have done it, I suppose, but then, it was such an op-pertunity, and so I smiled the cue to you and answered 'never!' And you, stupid, you froze and cowed like a telegraph pole and left. Oh, dear me! and I certainly thought at this day there was nobody under the sun so unpardonably obtuse and so far behind the age and rage, that he would not instantly have met me with,

What, never? and give me the chance to reply, Well, hardly ever.

If we accustom a lap-dog to live on chicken, cakes, and cream-to warm washings, aromatic soaps, blue ribbons, and soft rugs-we do perhape a silly thing; but if after all this petting we turn him out in the cold without a bone, we do a cruel thing. Nor is the matter amended if we have drilled him into perfect obedience, taught him to bark at certain signs, to sit up and beg, and to keep a buscuit on his nose till he is told to eat it; for all these arts and accomplishments will neither get him a crumb nor spare him a trick in the crowded streets. But this is virtually the practice of many parents towards their grown up daughters, who are kept in a kind of stalled case and plenty, are required to look to them for the commonest decision, and who, having been disciplined exactly in those qualities which will least help them in the battle of life, wake up one sad morning with the bitter blast of poverty blowing upon luxurious habits, and with the consciousness of not excelling in one single thing that can be exchanged



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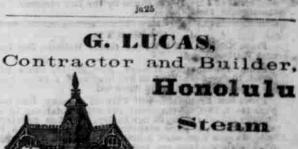
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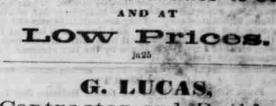
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